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H. GRAY, M.D., Ch.B., D.P.H.

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L. B. PARKER, M.B.E., C.R.S.I., M.S.I.A.

Certificates held:

Royal Sanitary Institute as

- (a) Sanitary Inspector.
- (b) Inspector of Meat and Other Foods.

City and Guilds of London Finalist.
Certificates Building Construction, Technical Drawing etc.
Instructor, A.R.P.S.

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Surveyor.
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Additional Sanitary Inspectors (Wholetime):

L. G. DANSIE, C.R.S.I., M.R.S.I.

Certificates held:

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C. GADEN, C.R.S.I.

Certificates held:

Royal Sanitary Institute as Sanitary Inspector.

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ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1955.

To the Chairman and Members of Flaxton Rural District Council.

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

It is my privilege again to submit my Annual Report on the health of the district during the year. Tables are set out in the following pages giving statistical information relating to the past five years. Although the Rural District can not be described as small in the usual sense of the word, indeed it is larger than a number of Boroughs and larger than the smallest County, nevertheless owing to small numbers certain of the rates are subject to considerable fluctuation from year to year. Taking the figures generally it can be said that Flaxton Rural District enjoys a higher standard of health than does the country as a whole.

The year showed a remarkable absence of measles, only one case being notified, and this disease appears to be settling down in this district to a distinct two year cycle. Diphtheria has now disappeared from our table, the last case being in 1951. The figures for the whole country are even more impressive, 3,575 cases notified in 1948 are now reduced to 51 cases in 1956. The campaign for maintaining a high percentage of children immunised against diphtheria has paid rich dividends and there must be no relaxation in our efforts to maintain this happy state of affairs.

Whooping cough vaccination combined with diphtheria vaccination commenced in 1952 in this area, and again the figures are satisfying. The average number of cases per year in the four years prior to this was 103, in the four years since it has been 26.

1956 will be remembered as the year in which the manufacture of a vaccine against poliomyelitis commenced and was made available to children born between 1947 and 1954. Children had to be registered for this some time before the vaccine was made available. It is a measure of the wisdom of our populace to record that no less than 63.3% of those children of school age were registered and 49.5% of pre-school children were "signed up". All these children are now vaccinated at the time of writing. As far as I know no untoward effects were produced. No case of polio was notified during the year.

There was an outbreak of nausea and vomiting in one of our schools in September effecting 21 children. Although school milk could not with certainty be incriminated, it was highly suspect, having an unduly high bacteriological count (more than 300 million per C. C.)

For a Rural District the area is well provided with water and sewerage, although the rapid increase in housing, both by private enterprise and by the Council has led to some difficulty in coping with efficient treatment of sewage in all cases.

I would like to thank all those employees of both District and County Councils working in the area who co-operate so well in ensuring that the services provided in the field of health, work so smoothly and, I believe, well.

I am,

Mr. Chairman, Ladies & Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

H. GRAY, M.D., Ch.B., D.P.H.

Medical Officer of Health.

VITAL STATISTICS

Population of the Rural District - .

22,124

<u>LIVE BIRTHS</u>	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL	GRAND TOTAL	CRUDE RATE PER 1,000 POPULATION
1952 Legitimate	141	129	270	-	-
Illegitimate	7	9	16	286	14.56
1953 Legitimate	145	132	277	-	-
Illegitimate	8	5	13	290	14.91
1954 Legitimate	159	136	295	-	-
Illegitimate.	5	5	10	305	15.00
1955 Legitimate	165	131	296	-	-
Illegitimate	3	4	7	303	14.53
1956 Legitimate	188	155	343	-	-
Illegitimate	1.	6.	7	350	15.90
<u>STILL BIRTHS</u>	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL	GRAND TOTAL	RATE PER 1,000 total births
1952 Legitimate	5.	1	6	-	-
Illegitimate	-	1	1	7	23.89
1953 Legitimate	1	3	4	-	-
Illegitimate	-	-	-	4	13.60
1954 Legitimate	5	2	7	-	-
Illegitimate	-	-	-	7	22.44
1955 Legitimate	4	3	7	-	-
Illegitimate	-	-	-	7	22.58
1956 Legitimate	4	4	8	-	-
Illegitimate	1	-	1	9	25.06
<u>DEATHS.</u>	MALES	FEMALES	TOTAL	RATE PER 1,000 OF ESTIMATED POPULATION	
1952	85	90	175	8.91	
1953	114	129	243	12.49	
1954	128	158	286	14.06	
1955	108	139	247	11.84	
1956	151	131	282	12.82	

MATERNAL MORTALITY.

1952... ..	NIL
1953... ..	NIL
1954... ..	Maternal causes 1
	Rate per 1,000 births.. 3.20
1955... ..	NIL
1956... ..	NIL

INFANT MORTALITY (Deaths of infants under One Year)

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
All infants per 1,000 Live Births	27.97	17.24	36.06	23.1	20.0
Legitimate Infants per 1,000 Live Legitimate Births.	29.63	14.44	33.90	40.54	17.20
Illegitimate Infants per 1,000 Live Illegitimate Births	NIL	76.92	100.00	NIL	142.86

TABLE OF COMPARATIVE RATES:

<u>BIRTH RATE</u>	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
England and Wales	15.30	15.50	15.20	15.00	15.7
Flaxton R.D.	14.56	14.91	16.35	15.83	16.54

DEATH RATE

England and Wales	11.30	11.40	11.30	11.70	11.70
Flaxton R.D.	8.91	12.49	14.78	12.43	9.49

MATERNAL MORTALITY RATE

England and Wales	NIL	0.76	0.69	0.64	0.56
Flaxton R.D.	NIL	NIL	3.20	NIL	NIL

INFANT MORTALITY RATE

England and Wales	27.60	26.80	25.50	24.70	23.8
Flaxton R.D.	27.97	17.24	36.06	23.1	20.0.

CAUSES OF DEATH

	1952		1953		1954		1955		1956	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
1. Tuberculosis, respiratory.	2	1	1	3	1	2	3	2	3	-
2. Tuberculosis, other	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
3. Syphilitic diseases	1	1	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	1
4. Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5. Whooping Cough	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
6. Meningococcal infections	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-
7. Acute Poliomyelitis	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
8. Measles	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
9. Other infective and par. diseases	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1
10. Malignant neoplasm - stomach	2	2	5	2	3	4	2	3	2	1
11. " " - lung, bronchus	2	2	2	-	3	1	5	-	5	1
12. " " - breast	-	1	-	-	-	2	-	4	-	4
13. " " - uterus	-	2	-	1	-	2	-	1	-	2
14. Other malignant and lymphatic neoplasms.	7	13	13	8	13	7	6	6	7	6
15. Leukaemia, aleukaemia	-	1	-	-	1	-	2	1	1	-
16. Diabetes	-	-	1	2	-	2	-	1	2	2
17. Vascular lesions of the nervous system	10	15	8	14	15	17	6	19	21	21
18. Coronary diseases, angina	18	7	21	10	18	13	21	14	20	7
19. Hypertension with heart disease	1	3	9	10	8	5	6	6	10	7
20. Other heart disease	17	12	18	40	25	53	26	52	32	43
21. Other circulatory diseases	4	5	5	8	8	14	6	2	9	7
22. Influenza	-	1	2	2	-	-	-	1	2	3
23. Pneumonia	1	4	6	3	5	6	1	5	3	1
24. Bronchitis	4	-	8	5	3	3	8	3	8	1
25. Other diseases of the respiratory system	1	-	1	-	-	1	1	2	1	-
26. Ulcer of the stomach and duodenum	1	-	-	-	2	-	1	-	3	1
27. Gastritis, enteritis and diarrhoea	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	-	-	-
28. Nephritis and nephrosis	2	3	-	-	5	2	-	1	2	4
29. Hyperplasia of prostate	2	-	2	-	2	-	2	-	1	-
30. Pregnancy, childbirth and abortion	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-
31. Congenital malformations.	-	1	-	2	1	4	1	-	1	2
32. Other defined and ill-defined diseases	6	9	7	13	7	11	6	10	9	13
33. Motor vehicle accidents.	2	3	1	-	3	1	1	1	3	1
34. All other accidents.	1	2	2	4	-	6	2	3	5	2
35. Suicide	-	2	1	-	2	1	-	2	1	-
36. Homicide and operations of war	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	85	90	114	129	128	158	108	139	151	131

GENERAL PROVISIONS OF HEALTH SERVICES FOR THE AREA

Many of the Health Services carried out by the County Council as Local Health Authority are administered by the Area Health Sub-Committee which meets monthly at Easingwold. The Flaxton R.D.C. is represented on this body.

PUBLIC HEALTH OFFICERS

Details of Officers are listed at the beginning of the Report.

LABORATORY FACILITIES

Bacteriological and chemical examinations of milk, water and effluents are carried out for the Council by the County Public Health Laboratory, Messrs. T. Fairley & Partners of Leeds, and the Laboratory of the Rivers Board at Wakefield.

AMBULANCE

The Ambulance Station serving the area is situated at Haxby. Telephone number - day or night - YORK 68181

DISTRICT NURSES

A District Nursing Service covers the area and the Nurses and the districts they cover are as follows:-

Clifton Without & Rawcliffe

Nurse Southam, 26 Melton Avenue, Clifton, York. Telephone: York 54714

Haxby, Wigginton & Skelton

Nurse Lockhart, 123 Calf Close, Haxby, York. Telephone: York 68521

Huntington, Earswick & New Earswick

Nurse Atkinson, 1 Rowan Place, New Earswick, York. Telephone: York 68280

and
Nurse Vale, 132 North Moor, Huntington, York. Telephone: York 68194

Buttercrambe, Bossall, Claxton, Harton, Heworth, Holtby, Gate Helmsley, Upper Helmsley, Osbaldwick, Sand Hutton, Stockton-on-Forest and Warthill.

Nurse Brown, 17 Galtres Road, Stockton Lane, Heworth, York. Telephone: York 53449

Flaxton, Strensall, Towthorpe & Lilling.

Nurse Henderson, Armordale, Station Road, Flaxton. Telephone: Flaxton Moor 265

DOMESTIC HELP SERVICE

A comprehensive Domestic Help Service is in operation throughout the area, and arrangements for assistance can be made through the County Area Health Office, Manor Road, Easingwold. Telephone 851324

Applicants for Domestic Help are informed that a standard hourly charge is in force, but they are all offered the opportunity of being assessed according to financial circumstances. The charges paid vary from the maximum of 3/- per hour down to the minimum charge of 3/- per week. Assistance can be provided for up to 44 hours in any week, but the number of hours granted is dependent on the circumstances of each individual case. Priority is given to the provision of help in cases of domiciliary confinement, and cases of this nature normally continue for two weeks. In the Flaxton area there is considerable demand for assistance to cases of aged and chronic sick persons and these cases are usually of long duration.

INFANT WELFARE CENTRES

The whole area is served by either static clinics in the major parishes or by attendance of the Mobile Clinic.

The County Council continues to be responsible for the distribution of Welfare Foods and much of the structure of the Ministry of Food is abolished. By utilising voluntary helpers at these clinics and by the very welcome co-operation of several tradesmen in the area, the efficient supply of these foods has been maintained at very little cost to the ratepayer.

MATERNITY HOSPITALS

Admissions are arranged by a person's own doctor. Booking clinics are held at the Health Services Centre, Duncombe Place, York.

Admission on social grounds, e.g. unsatisfactory housing conditions, is made following an enquiry and report by me.

TUBERCULOSIS CLINIC

A clinic is held at 11 Castlegate, York, on the second and fourth Thursdays in each month at 10 a.m.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES

DISEASE	TOTAL CASES NOTIFIED										Admitted to Hospital	Deaths
	Under 1	1 - 2	3 - 4	5 - 9	10 - 14	15 - 24	25 - 44	45 - 64	Over 65	Age unknown		
Smallpox	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever.	-	1	1	6	1	2	-	-	-	-	11	3
Enteric Fever.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puerperal Fever.	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pneumonia	-	-	-	-	1	-	2	2	4	-	9	6
Erysipelas	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cerebro-Spinal Fever	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ophthalmia neonatorum	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Dysentery	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1	1
Malaria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Acute Poliomyelitis	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Encephalitis lethargica	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Measles	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-
Whooping Cough	2	9	4	12	3	-	1	-	-	-	31	-
Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Meningococcal Infection	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1
Food Poisoning	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

* 5 Patients in Clifton Hospital.

COMPARATIVE INCIDENCE OF INFECTIOUS DISEASES

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Smallpox	-	-	-	-	-
Scarlet Fever	30	32	23	34	11
Diphtheria	-	-	-	-	-
Enteric Fever	-	-	-	-	-
Puerperal Pyrexia	-	1	-	-	-
Pneumonia	5	8	5	3	6
Erysipelas	1	4	1	3	-
Cere-spinal Fever	-	-	-	-	-
Ophthalmia neonatorum	-	1	-	-	-
Dysentery	-	1	5	8	1
Malaria	-	3	1	-	-
Acute Poliomyelitis	8	5	2	2	-
Encephalitis lethargica	-	-	1	-	-
Measles	362	177	7	266	1
Whooping Cough	124	56	12	6	31

TUBERCULOSIS

Age Period	New Cases				Deaths			
	Respiratory		Non-Respiratory		Respiratory		Non-Respiratory	
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F
Under 1 year	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1 to 5 years	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
5 to 15 years	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	-
15 to 25 years	-	1	1	1	-	-	-	-
25 to 35 years	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
35 to 45 years	2*	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
45 to 55 years	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
55 to 65 years	1+	1	1	-	-	-	-	-
65 years and upwards	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Age unknown	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	8	4	2	1	-	-	-	-

* Patients in Clifton Hospital not resident in the area
+ Patients in Clifton Hospital resident in area.

INCIDENCE OF TUBERCULOSIS

YEAR	New Cases					
	Respira- tory.	Non-respir atory	Total	Respira- tory	Non-respir atory	Total
1952....	17	3	20	2	-	2
1953....	9	5	14	5	1	6
1954 ...	6	1	7	6	-	6
1955....	11	5	16	3	-	5
1956....	12	3	15	3	-	3

REPORT OF THE
SURVEYOR AND CHIEF PUBLIC HEALTH INSPECTOR FOR 1956.

To the Chairman and Members of the Flaxton Rural District Council

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

I again have the honour to submit to you a further report upon the work of this department, in this instance for the year 1956.

I regret that this report has been held up for such a long period due to the extremely difficult staffing conditions with which the department has been faced during the last twelve months, and it is for this reason that the report, although now being made available, will be summarised as far as ever possible, with possibly some further comment in the 1957 report.

There has been continued progress in connection with sewage disposal during the year, and the Council have had under consideration at some length, action required to deal with the problem of overloading of sewage disposal plants due to the extraordinarily rapid rate of building taking place in the area. Many difficulties arise in what would on first consideration appear to be a simple matter of extending existing plants: and unexpected opposition to certain proposals, consideration of alternatives, the preparation of schemes and not least the obtaining of consent and approval and the clearing of financial implications can result, as is the case in the area at the moment, in building where it is rapid and extensive overtaking the facilities available.

The Council have considered during the year the problem that arises from the discharge of farm drainage into the new sewerage schemes of the Council and whilst the Council have left this matter open it is very clearly established that farm drainage is a particularly strong sewage; that most authorities are considering this to be trade waste and which, if the authority are satisfied will interfere with their treatment of the domestic sewage, they can properly refuse to receive. It must be remembered that schemes in the area are all designed for domestic sewage of normal strength and to receive farm drainage, (which I personally feel is very desirable to have into the sewers if continued pollution of watercourses is to be avoided) may lead to additional expenditure on works' extensions or additional treatment plant which might well be appreciably heavy.

The problem of staff continues to be one of very real difficulty and hardship. Repeated changes of staff which take place for a variety of reasons and the near impossibility of obtaining anyone with knowledge or experience of the work has at times made continuance near high impossible. Staff changes and replacement, whilst looked upon in these days by most bodies as something to be expected, is really basically a very serious problem indeed.

I would again like to thank the Chairman of the Council, and the Members of the Council, for their tolerance during the year and for their helpfulness and co-operation without which it is quite true to say the work of the department could not possibly function, either efficiently or even sensibly. I would like also to express to the Council my appreciation of the work of the staff of all departments for their co-operation and assistance, but particularly the staff of my own department despite the many changes, for their sustained efforts despite many difficulties to achieve some semblance of efficiency and for in general their enthusiasm for the many tasks and duties which fall upon them. I would include in this observation the members of the staff who have left the Council's service during the year as well as those present, and there has been ample evidence from those members who have gone of their enjoyment of the work and the conditions under which it was carried out.

I am,

Mr. Chairman, Ladies and Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

L. PARKER.

Surveyor & Chief Sanitary Inspector.

GENERAL STATISTICS OF THE AREA, 1956.

TABLE NO. 1.

	No. of Houses	Estimated Population	Acreage
Bossall-with-Buttercrambe	40	128	2,691
Claxton	57	182	838
Clifton Without	1,004	3,263	972
Earswick	80	256	1,111
Flaxton	102	326	1,865
Gate Helmsley	67	218	497
Harton	28	90	2,004
Haxby	752	2,444	2,206
Heworth Without	219	711	854
Holtby	31	99	901
Huntington... ..	1,234	4,011	1,850
Lilling	51	163	1,769
Murton	116	371	844
New Earswick	699	2,237	784
Osballdwick	617	2,005	645
Rawcliffe	333	1,082	785
Sand Hutton	48	154	2,242
Skelton	235	764	2,428
Stockton on Forest... ..	240	780	3,268
Strensall	374	1,197	2,909
Camp	169	921	
Towthorpe	36	115	1,075
Upper Helmsley	12	38	833
Warthill	52	166	1,004
Wigginton	124	403	1,880
TOTALS	6,720	22,124	36,254

TABLE NO. 2.

ESTIMATED NUMBER OF PERSONS PER DWELLINGHOUSE

1901 Census	...	4.70	average of persons per house	
1911 "	...	4.39	"	"
1921 "	...	4.29	"	"
1931 "	...	3.83	"	"
1939 "	...	3.75	"	"
1951 "	...	3.45	"	"
1952 (Estimated)	3.51	"	"
1953 "	...	3.31	"	"
1954 "	...	3.32	"	"
1955 "	...	3.20	"	"
1956 "	...	3.27	"	"

(National Registration)

WATER SUPPLIES.

I have little to comment upon under this heading other than to say that there are very few even isolated properties without water supply. There have been some further connections to mains as will be shown by the tables, and there is an increase in the percentage of occupied properties enjoying a piped supply of water.

TABLE SHOWING WATER SUPPLY POSITION IN EACH PARISH.

PARISH	TOTAL HOUSES	TOTAL POPUL- ATION.	PIPED WATER SUPPLY						WELL SUPPLY		BOREHOLE SUPPLY	
			YORK WATERWORKS CO.			RYDALE WATER BOARD			HOUSES.	POP.	HOUSES	POP.
			DIRECT TO HOUSE		STANDPIPE		DIRECT TO HOUSE					
			HOUSES	POP.	HOUSES	POP.	HOUSES	POP.	HOUSES	POP.	HOUSES	POP.
Bossall with Buttercrambe	40	128	-	-	-	-	109	-	-	6	19	-
Claxton	57	182	-	-	-	-	167	-	-	5	15	-
Clifton Without	1,004	3,263	1,004	3,263	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Earswick	80	256	80	256	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Flaxton.	102	326	-	-	-	-	246	21	67	4	13	-
Gate Helmsley	67	218	-	-	-	-	199	61	-	6	19	-
Harton	28	90	-	-	-	-	71	22	-	6	19	-
Haxby	752	2,444	751	2,441	-	-	-	-	-	1	3	-
Heworth Without	219	711	219	711	-	-	89	-	-	3	10	-
Holby.	31	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Huntington	1,234	4,011	1,234	4,011	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lilling	51	163	-	-	-	-	141	7	22	-	-	-
Murton	116	371	106	339	13	-	-	-	-	6	19	-
New Earswick	699	2,237	699	2,237	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Osbaldwick	617	2,005	617	2,005	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rawcliffe	333	1,082	331	1,075	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sand Hutton	48	154	-	-	-	-	147	46	-	2	7	-
Skelton.	235	764	218	709	16	-	-	-	-	8	26	13
Stockton on Forest	240	780	216	703	51	-	-	-	-	8	26	-
Strensall	374	1,197	360	1,152	-	-	-	-	-	14	45	-
Strensall Camp	169	921	169	921	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Towthorpe	36	115	36	115	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Upper Helmsley	12	38	-	-	-	-	32	10	-	2	6	-
Wartill	52	156	-	-	-	-	166	52	-	-	-	-
Wigginton	124	403	121	394	-	-	-	-	-	3	9	-
	6,720	22,124	6,161	20,332	87	426	1,367	28	89	74	236	13

DRAINAGE AND SEWERAGE.

I wish to keep my comments as brief as possible in this report in view of the lateness of its issue. I have made some brief comments under this heading in my preliminary remarks. I would only add that during the year a system of sewerage, and sewage disposal plant, was completed in the parishes of Holtby and Harton, thereby reducing the margin of properties within your Council's area not provided with proper sewerage and sewage disposal facilities.

There were very serious complaints about the pollution of an open watercourse in New Earswick during the year which caused some difficulty by the many visits which were made without any smell being observable, even when the watercourse was disturbed and agitated. It was ultimately however established that a very offensive smell was at certain times noticeable and although there is no doubt in my mind that an appreciable amount of smell arose from leaking gas mains adjoining the watercourse, there was a layer of sludge on the bed which no doubt was giving off under certain conditions an offensive odour. The beck was swept throughout its length and the sludge decanted and discharged into sludge lagoons, and no complaints have since been received.

It did result in further consideration being given to the overloading of the small estate sewage disposal plant, originally a private estate works later taken over by the Council to ensure reasonable maintenance, and a resolution that this small plant be dispensed with in view of its deteriorating structural condition and its replacement by a new pumping station discharging into the main Haxby sewerage scheme.

SCHEDULE OF SEWERAGE AND SEWAGE DISPOSAL SCHEMES IN THE AREA.

Parishes served.	Length of Sewer Yards	Year of Installation	Outfall.
Strensall.	2,870	1919	Council's works at Strensall
Clifton Without	810	1927/1930	York sewers
		1932	
Rawcliffe	580	1935	York sewers
Earswick	695	1937	Council's works at Haxby.
Huntington	4,760	1937	Council's works at Haxby.
Haxby	4,950	1937	Council's works at Haxby.
Wigginton	770	1937	Council's works at Haxby.
Osballdwick & Murton.	3,710	1937	Council's works at Osballdwick
Rawcliffe	2,650	1938	Council's works at Rawcliffe
Skelton.	1,270	1938	Council's works at Rawcliffe
S, Back Lane, Haxby	1,580	1938	Council's works at Haxby
Huntington Road	200	1938	Council's works at Haxby
Skelton ext.	460	1938	Council's works at Rawcliffe
Mill Lane, Wigginton	850	1951	Council's works at Haxby
Claxton.	376	1952	Council's works at Claxton
Stockton on Forest)	836		
Hopgrove)	282	1953	Council's works at Stockton on Forest.
Flaxton	1,825	1953	Council's works at Flaxton
Gate Helmsley	2,368	1954	Council's works at Gate Helmsley
Warthill	637	1955	Council's works at Warthill
Buttercrambe	70	1955	Council's works at Buttercrambe
Holtby	414	1956	Council's works at Holtby
Harton	1,027	1956	Council's works at Harton

DETAILS OF SEWAGE DISPOSAL WORKS & PUMPING STATIONS

DISPOSAL WORKS

Situation.	Area of Land Acres	Number and size of filter beds	Number and capacity of settlement tanks
Strensall	3	2 x 27' x 22'	1 x 10,000 gallons
Haxby (Wigginton, Earswick & Huntington)	6½	4 x 51' dia.	4 x 16,000 gallons.
Osballdwick (Murton)	3½	1 x 51' dia.	2 x 9,000 gallons
Rawcliffe (Skelton)	3	2 x 60' dia.	2 x 25,000gallons.
Claxton	1	1 x 29' dia.	1 x 2,250 gallons.
Galtres (Heworth)	½	1 x 29' dia.	1 x 4,000 gallons
Park Avenue (New Earswick part)	½	1 x 25' dia.	2 x 3,000 gallons.
Hilbra (Haxby Part)	½	1 x 25' dia.	2 x 1,000 gallons
Bean's (Heworth)	½	1 x 9'6" dia.	2 x 250 gallons
Stockton.	1½	2 x 32' dia.	2 x 7,500 gallons
Flaxton	1	1 x 34' dia.	2 x 2,500 gallons
Gate Helmsley	1½	2 x 39' dia.	2 x 7,500 gallons
Warthill	½	1 x 20' dia.	2 x 1,000 gallons
New Earswick	Maintained by J.R.V.T.		
Holtby	½	1 x 18' dia.	2 x 1560 gallons
Harton	1/5	1 x 20' dia.	1 x 1,000 gallons
Buttercrambe	½	1 x 10' dia.	1 x 500 gallons

PUMPING STATIONS

Initial Letter	Situation	Horse Power of Pumps.	Size of Pumps	Output - in gallons per minute
A	Landing Lane	6	4"	200
B	Westfield Lane	3	3"	100
C	Park Estate	3	3"	60
E	Mill Hill	16	5"	400
F	Earswick	4	3"	50
G	Meadowfields	7½	4"	250
H	Osballdwick	12	4"	350
K	Fairfield	3	3"	120
L	Rawcliffe Lodge	12½	4"	280
M	Mental Hospital	3	3"	100
-	Rawcliffe Lane	3	3"	120
-	Beans	3	2"	60
-	Park Avenue	2	3"	50
-	Hilbra Avenue	3	2"	50
-	Stockton	4	3"	75
-	Hopgrove Lane	5	3"	60
-	Warthill	-	30 gallon Ejector	-
-	Strensall	3	3"	75
-	Holtby	2	15 gallon Ejector	-

SEWAGE

METHODS OF DISPOSAL - PERCENTAGE ANALYSIS

Properties connected to proper sewerage and sewage disposal plants:

(a)	Via Council's sewers to Council's disposal works	54.18%	
(b)	Via Council's sewers to York City sewers	21.02%	
(c)	Drained to private works producing a satisfactory effluent	11.69%	86.89%

Properties connected to other means of disposal:

(a)	To old village sewers discharging to watercourse	3.25%	
(b)	To cesspools etc.	9.86%	13.11%
			100.00%

PROPERTIES SERVED BY SCHEMES OF SEWERAGE

Parish	Total Houses	Houses served by Scheme	Outfall of properties connected				
			Council's sewers and disposal works	City Sewers	Private Disposal Works	Old Sewers	Cess-pools etc.
Bossall with Buttercrambe	40	7	7	-	-	-	33
Claxton	57	50	27	-	-	18	12
Clifton Without	1,004	1,004	16	980	-	-	8
Earswick	80	64	57	-	-	5	18
Flaxton	102	83	50	-	-	13	39
Gate Helmsley	67	67	37	-	-	28	2
Harton	28	25	4	-	-	18	6
Haxby	752	724	666	-	-	19	67
Heworth Without	219	178	55	126	-	-	38
Holtby	31	15	2	-	-	11	18
Huntington	1,234	1,227	1,196	-	-	3	35
Lilling	51	51	-	-	-	18	33
Murton	116	77	77	-	-	-	39
New Earswick	699	692	75	-	617	-	7
Osballdwick	617	593	443	136	-	-	38
Rawcliffe	333	313	147	170	-	-	16
Sand Hutton	48	-	-	-	-	40	8
Skelton	235	218	218	-	-	-	17
Stockton on Forest	240	140	116	-	-	28	96
Strensall	374	358	361	-	-	-	13
Camp	169	-	-	-	169	-	-
Towthorpe	36	-	-	-	-	-	36
Upper Helmsley	12	-	-	-	-	-	12
Warthill	52	32	26	-	-	-	26
Wigginton	124	71	61	-	-	17	46
TOTALS	6,720	5,989	3,641	1,412	786	218	663

PUBLIC CLEANSING

I have no comment to make under this heading other than to say that a weekly service is still maintained, but only with the very greatest difficulty in view of the rapidly increasing number of properties, and only in consequence of very considerable overtime working, the increasing number of properties interfering as it does with the schedules of collections which have to be so meticulously calculated to ensure time and day being known to enable the bins to be placed at the gate, which is a part of our present collecting system.

I think it could quite safely be said that no other local authority can surpass the number of houses being collected by the vehicles and loaders employed on this work by this authority, but the capacity of the vehicles and the teams is continually being stretched and approaching nearer and nearer to the breakdown point. The decision of the Council to purchase a larger capacity vehicle, and continuing this service with only two vehicles, will still be in my view the most economical system of collection, whilst I believe putting it on to a much sounder footing.

REFUSE COLLECTION - WHOLE AREA BY DIRECT LABOUR

Parish or Village	No. of Properties served	Population	Means of Disposal
			Controlled tipping at:
Bossall with			
Buttercrambe	28	90	Towthorpe
Claxton	48	154	"
Clifton Without	994	3,231	Skelton
Earswick	72	231	Towthorpe
Flaxton	84	269	"
Gate Helmsley... ..	60	195	"
Harton	24	77	"
Haxby	710	2,308	"
Heworth Without.	197	640	"
Holtby	18	57	"
Huntington	1,202	3,906	"
Lillings Ambo... ..	42	134	"
Murton	114	365	"
New Earswick	665	2,218	"
Osballdwick	499	1,622	"
Rawcliffe	329	1,069	Skelton
Sand Hutton	39	125	Towthorpe
Skelton	202	656	Skelton
Stockton on Forest.. ...	202	656	Towthorpe
Strensall	343	1,114	"
Towthorpe	33	106	"
Upper Helmsley... ..	10	32	"
Warthill	33	106	"
Wigginton	101	328	"
TOTALS	6,049	19,689	

SALVAGE

Details of the collection of salvage for the last three years are set out below:

1954

Material	Weight				Value		
	Tons	Cwts	Qrs	Lbs.	£	s.	d.
Woollens		3	2	12	25	5	0
Scrap Metal		14	0	0	3	3	0
Bagging			1	18		3	8
Rags	2	19	1	0	72	7	6
Mixed Waste Paper	97	18	2	0	640	19	10
Cardboard Containers	10	7	1	0	93	5	3
Bundles of rags					3	10	0
Kitchen Waste (Estimated)	56	0	0	0	130	16	3
TOTAL	168	3	0	2	969	10	6

1955

Material	Weight				Value		
	Tons	Cwts	Qrs	Lbs	£	s.	d.
Woollens		2	0	8	14	18	0
Ragss	2	19	2	1	74	15	4
Mixed Waste Paper	84	14	1	0	693	18	8
Cardboard	16	17	0	0	163	7	6
Bundles of rags					1	0	0
Mixed Scrap Iron		3	0	0	13	10	0
Cast Iron Scrap	1	14	0	0	8	10	0
Cast Iron	1	1	0	0	6	6	0
Kitchen Waste (Estimated)	45	0	0	0	114	18	7
<u>TOTAL</u>	152	10	3	9	1,091	4	1

1956

Material	Weight				Value		
	Tons	Cwts	Qrs	Lbs	£	s.	d.
Woollens		1	2	2	10	19	10
Rags	1	5	1	0	34	14	6
Mixed Waste Paper	38	5	1	0	293	5	10
Cardboard	4	15	0	0	42	15	0
Scrap Metal 5½ Loads					11	0	0
Cast Iron	1	13	0	0	8	5	0
Lead & Scrap Iron	1	10	0	0	7	10	0
Ketchen Waste 125 Bins					101	13	9
<u>TOTAL</u>	47	10	0	2	510	3	11

FOOD SALVAGE

Parish	No. of bins distributed				
	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Clifton Without/Rawcliffe.. ...	28	27	27	22	20
Haxby	12	12	11	11	8
Huntington	5	3	-	-	-
New Earswick .. .	31	31	31	-	-
<u>TOTALS</u> .. .	76	73	69	33	28

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FACTORIES ACT, 1937

The tables required by the Ministry of Labour are set out below:

FACTORIES

<u>Mechanical</u>		<u>Non-Mechanical</u>	
Bakeries	3	Grease and Dripping Extraction.....	2
Breweries.....	1	Agricultural Engineers	1
Brick making.....	2		
Caravan construction.....	1		
Clothing manufacturers.....	1		
Concrete block making.....	1		
Engineering works.....	1		
Firewood - sawmills.....	5		
Furniture manufacturers.....	1		
Joinery.....	6		
Motor vehicle repairs.....	21		
Paper baling.....	2		
Scientific instruments.....	1		
Tanneries.....	2		
Letter Press Printing.....	1		
Laundry.....	1		
	<u>50</u>		<u>3</u>
Outworkers.....	56		

INSPECTIONS FOR PURPOSES OF PROVISIONS AS TO HEALTH

<u>Premises</u>	<u>Number on Register</u>	<u>Inspections</u>	<u>Notices</u>	<u>Prosecutions</u>
(i) Factories in which Sec. 1 2, 3, 4 and 6 are enforced by the Local Authority ...	3	48	-	-
(ii) Factories not included in (i) above in which Sec. 7 is enforced by the Local Authority.....	50	55	1	-
(iii) Other premises in which Sec. 7 is enforced by the Local Authority.....	-	-	-	-

SANITARY INSPECTION OF THE AREA

COMPLAINTS

Number of general complaints received.....	89
Number of general complaints investigated.....	89
Number where action taken.....	78
Number where no action taken.....	11
Number of Council house complaints received.....	886
Number of Council house complaints investigated.....	886
Number where action taken.....	636
Number where no action taken.....	50
Number of complaints received under the Prevention of Damage by Pests Act.....	57
Number investigated.....	57
Number where action taken.....	57
Number where no action taken.....	-

TABLE OF NOTICES SERVED

	<u>Informal</u>	<u>Statutory</u>
Notices served under the:		
Public Health Act, 1936.....	58	-
Housing Act, 1936.....	13	66
Food & Drugs Act, 1938.....	2	-
Pests Act, 1949.....	57	-
Water Act, 1945.....	10	-

TABULAR STATEMENT OF INSPECTIONS

Ashplaces and Bins	9
Cesspools and sewage tanks.....	55
Closets - Water.....	17
- Pail.....	45
- Privies.....	15
Complaints.....	234
Dairies, Milkshops and Milkstores.....	4
Drains - Inspected.....	815
- Tested.....	937
Factories.....	103
Food Shops - Bakehouses.....	1
- Butchers Shops.....	3
- Fish Shops.....	6
- Grocers Shops.....	29
- Ice Cream.....	3
- Slaughterhouses.....	207
- Other Food Shops.....	2
- Food Inspections.....	2
- Meat Inspections.....	1,777
Housing - Houses Repairable.....	79
- Not Repairable.....	180
- Overcrowding.....	25
Infectious disease investigation.....	11
Meetings, Interviews and Miscellaneous visits.....	559
Nuisances found.....	35
Offensive Trade premises.....	48
Rats and Mice Destruction.....	14
Re-inspections - Housing.....	25
- Overcrowding.....	2
- Nuisances.....	8

TABULAR STATEMENT OF INSPECTIONS (Cont.).

Samples - Water.....	23
- Effluent.....	8
Schools.....	3
Streets, Roads, Courts.....	2
Tips.....	11
Temporary dwellings and caravans.....	23
Verminous premises.....	2
Wells.....	5
Water supplies.....	23
Workshops and workplaces.....	30
Buildings - in course of erection.....	1,993
- Sites.....	183
- Special visits.....	8
- Foundations.....	346
- Completed Houses.....	152
- Other.....	80
Contravention of building byelaws.....	25
Dykes and watercourses.....	156
Dangerous structures.....	2
Land Surveys.....	44
Sewage disposal and sewerage works.....	209
Sewers.....	34
Temporary buildings.....	41
Council House property.....	3,045
Petrol stores.....	5
Refuse collection and salvage.....	118
Street naming and numbering.....	121
Housing case investigation.....	26
Improvement grants.....	4
Housing allocations.....	25
Housing Repairs & Rent Act.....	3
Street Lighting.....	6
Smoke Observations.....	2
Allotments.....	6
Footpaths and Rights of way.....	5
TOTAL	12,019

HOUSING

I do not propose to comment to any extent upon the year's work under this heading other than to say that the number of new houses erected and completed by the Council during the year is very small indeed, no doubt due to the fact that the Council felt a little uneasy as to the possibility of over building and having houses vacant, resulting in a slowing down of the programme and reluctance on the part of the Council to purchase any new sites for further building; perhaps, it might be said, with justification in view of the decision of the Ministry at the latter end of the year under review to discontinue subsidy payment on Council housing other than for slum clearance and properties for aged persons.

I do not propose to say much on the question of the slum clearance programme this year, although it has had some rather more intensive consideration during the year. In connection with slum clearance the problems facing the Council have been much alleviated by the fact that throughout their post war building programme the hardship suffered by persons living in unfit houses has consistently been given the same consideration as all other cases for housing, placed before the Council. I think it may suffice for this report to say that the Council's five year programme is progressing reasonably well and I will give fuller information on this in a future report.

Details of the erection of new houses in the area by private enterprise are also set out in the tables which follow.

1. Inspection of Dwellinghouses during the year:

(1) (a) Total number of houses inspected for defects under the Public Health & Housing Acts.....	259
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose.....	370
(2) (a) Number of dwellinghouses included in (1) above which were inspected and recorded under the Housing (Consolidated) Regulation, 1925 to 1932..	66
(b) Number of inspections made for the purpose.....	180
(3) Number of dwellinghouses found to be in a state so dangerous to health as to be unfit for human habitation.....	36
(4) Number of dwellinghouses (exclusive of those referred to in (3) above found not to be in all respects reasonably fit for human habitation.....	177

2. Remedy of defects with service of formal notices:

Number of dwellinghouses rendered fit in consequence of informal action by the Local Authority or by their officers..... 40

3. Action under Statutory Powers:

- (a) Proceedings under Sections 9, 10 and 16 of the Housing Act, 1936:
- (i) Number of dwellinghouses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs..... Nil
- (ii) Number of houses rendered fit after service of formal notices-
- (a) By owners..... Nil
- (b) Proceedings under the Public Health Act, 1936:
- (i) Number of dwellinghouses in respect of which notices were served requiring repairs..... Nil
- (ii) Number of dwellinghouses rendered fit after service of formal notices:
- (a) By owners..... Nil
- (b) by local authority in default of owners..... Nil
- (c) Proceedings under Sections 11 and 13 of the Housing Act, 1936:
- (i) Number of dwellinghouses in respect of which Demolition Orders were Made..... 28
- (ii) Number of dwellinghouses demolished..... 13
- (iii) Number of separate tenements or underground rooms in respect of which Closing Orders were Made..... Nil
- (iv) Number of underground rooms or tenements in respect of which Closing Orders were determined, the rooms having been rendered fit..... Nil
- (v) Number of dwellinghouses in respect of which undertakings were given by owners to bring the properties to a standard in compliance with the Housing Act..... 23
- (vi) Number of dwellinghouses in respect of which undertakings were given by owners not to use premises for human habitation..... 8

4. Housing Act, 1936 - Part IV - Overcrowding:

- (a) (i) Number of dwellinghouses overcrowded at the end of the year..... No
- (ii) Number of families dwelling therein..... Record
- (iii) Number of persons dwelling therein.....
- (b) Number of new cases of overcrowding reported during the year..... Nil
- (c) (i) Number of cases of overcrowding relieved during the year..... 17
- (ii) Number of persons concerned in such cases..... 55
- (d) Particulars of any cases in which dwellinghouses have again become overcrowded after the local authority have taken steps to abate the overcrowding..... Nil
- (e) Any other particulars with respect to overcrowding which it is considered desirable to report..... Nil

HOUSING ACT, 1949

The following table shows the number of applications received under this Act for the last 5 years, together with the number of cases in which improvement Grants have been made.

Year	No. of Applications Received	No. of Applications Approved	No. of Applications Disapproved, deferred or not proceeded with
1952	5	2	3
1953	6	3	3
1954	25	6	19
1955	36	24	12
1956	46	30	16

MOBILE & TEMPORARY DWELLINGS.

The table given below sets out the number of caravans in the area, together with the number removed and brought into the district during the last five years.

Year	No. of Caravans brought into area	No. of Caravans removed from area	Total Number of Licensed Caravans in area
1952	2	1	4
1953	2	2	4
1954	-	-	4
1955	1	1	4
1956	3	-	7

HOUSE BUILDING

The building programme of the Council during the year ended 1956 is set out below.

Housing Site	Houses under construction on 1.1.56	Houses completed prior to 1.1.56	Further Contracts let during 1956	Houses completed during 1956	Houses in course of erection on 31.12.56.
North Moor, Huntington.	-	143	-	-	-
Northfields, Strensall.	-	93	-	-	-
Calf Close, Haxby	-	156	-	-	-
Brecks Fields Skelton.	24	110	8	16	22
Stone Riggs, Stockton on Forest.	18	40	-	10	14
Green Hills, Claxton	-	12	-	-	-
Oaks View, Lilling.	-	2	-	-	-
Rise Wood, Gate Helmsley	4	8	-	4	-
Stoney Hills, Buttercrambe.	-	6	-	-	-
The Leyes, Osbaldwick.	-	64	-	-	-
Barney Cottages, Flaxton.	-	13	-	-	-
Harton.	-	4	-	-	-
Woodlands, Warthill.	-	4	-	-	-
Saxford Way, Wigginton.	6	-	-	6	2
TOTAL	52	655	8	36	38

HOUSES CONSTRUCTED BY THE COUNCIL - POST WAR

	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
<u>Supervised by own staff</u>											
Tarran temporary houses with 2 bedrooms	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Airey permanent houses with 3 bedrooms.	-	8	24	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Traditional - 3 bedrooms (Circular 92)	-	22	20	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Supervised by Architects</u>											
Traditional houses											
- single bedroom bungalows	-	-	-	-	8	10	18	16	28	12	2
- 2 bedroom houses	-	-	-	16	24	14	8	30	20	32	18
- 3 bedroom houses	-	2	68	60	42	16	24	33	11	21	16
- 4 bedroom houses	-	-	-	-	1	4	1	-	-	-	-
	50	32	112	78	75	44	51	89	59	65	36
TOTAL PRE-WAR HOUSES - 38											
TOTAL POST-WAR HOUSES - 691											
<u>GRAND TOTAL TO DATE</u> 729											

SUMMARY OF HOUSING APPLICATIONS

	No. of applications on list on 1st January.	New applications received during the year	No. of families rehoused	No. on list on 31st December.
1946....	355	271	50	576
1947....	576	194	34	736 *
1948....	340	243	112	471
1949....	471	155	78	548
1950....	548	174	75	647
1951....	647	145	44	748
1952....	748	111	51	808 *
1953....	252	117	102	267
1954....	267	115	132	250
1955....	250	120	100	165 *
1956....	165	165	72	250

* New registration carried out.

DEPOSIT OF PLANS

The following table sets out the plans deposited with the Council under Streets & Buildings Byelaws and dealt with by the Plans Committee during the year.

Plans were deposited for the following buildings:

Dwellingshouses - Local Authority	10
- Private.....	405
Alterations and extensions to dwellingshouses.....	40
Exempted buildings (greenhouses etc.).....	-
Agricultural buildings.....	18
Factory and business premises.....	14
Layouts.....	11
Miscellaneous (Schools, pavilions, garages etc.).....	210
TOTAL.....	708

COMPARATIVE RECORD OF NEW HOUSES ERECTED

PRE-WAR

	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940
By Flaxton R.D.C.	-	-	-	-	-	5	-	3	14	12	-
By private individuals and bodies	103	177	171	209	241	224	203	226	205	246	42
By other local authorities	92	310	275	-	52	213	90	170	140	-	-
TOTALS	195	487	446	209	293	442	293	399	359	258	42

POST-WAR

	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
By Flaxton R.D.C.	50	32	112	78	75	44	51	89	59	65	36
By private individuals and bodies	61	40	6	21	18	20	24	73	225	320	287
By other local authorities	20	-	-	-	-	-	7	-	-	-	-
TOTALS	131	72	118	99	93	64	82	162	284	385	323

MILK, MEAT AND OTHER FOODS

There have been no outstanding factors worthy of special comment under this heading during the year. The inspection of all carcasses has continued throughout the year and the table of condemnations is an indication of the work carried out.

Milk supply is passing more and more into the hands of the large combines with distribution in sealed bottles only, limiting the offences committed and probably reducing the risks of contamination other than in the event of some mishap, failure or neglect in these larger centralised bottling establishments. The compulsory pasteurisation of milk has no doubt resulted in many risks previously taken being avoided.

There are no food premises of any importance in the area, the district being concerned only with a comparatively small number of retail food shops of various types and kinds.

There have been no outbreaks of food poisoning in the area during the year and no other incidents under this heading of any particular importance.

Table of Registration & Licences Issued

	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
No. of registered dairies	6	7	7	7	7
No. of retail purveyors	18	17	18	25	24
No. of Licences issued to sell Pasteurised Milk	15	15	16	15	20
No. of Licences issued to sell Sterilised Milk	1	1	2	3	4
No. of Licences issued to sell Tuberculin Tested Milk	13	13	13	15	16

Carcasses Inspected and Condemned

	<u>Horses</u>	<u>Cattle</u>	<u>Cows</u>	<u>Calves</u>	<u>Sheep</u>	<u>Pigs</u>
Number Killed	-	329	191	61	700	472
Number Inspected	-	329	191	61	700	472

All diseases except tuberculosis & cysticerci

Whole carcasses condemned	-	27	28	17	34	22
Part carcass or organ condemned	-	45	17	2	8	16
Percentage affected with disease other than tuberculosis & cysticerci	-	21.9%	23.6%	31.2%	6%	8.1%

Tuberculosis Only

Whole carcasses condemned	-	13	20	3	-	6
Part carcass or organ condemned	-	22	18	-	-	11
Percentage affected with tuberculosis	-	10.6%	19.9%	4.9%	-	3.6%

Table of Food Shops & Premises

<u>No. in Area</u>	<u>Inspections Made</u>
Bakehouses	3
Butchers' Shops	8
Greengrocers & Grocers	26
Canteens & Restaurant Kitchens ..	9
Fish Shops	6
General Stores	20
	1
	3
	29
	2
	6
	15

ICE CREAM

The following table shows the number of premises registered for the sale of pre-packed ice cream:

<u>1951</u>	<u>1952</u>	<u>1953</u>	<u>1954</u>	<u>1955</u>	<u>1956</u>
17	18	19	25	33	34

